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Women's World



MEMBERSHIP TEA—Mrs. George Clinger is pouring a cup of tea for Mrs. Rose Lane at the annual membership tea of the Woman's Club of Arcadia. Others shown here are left to right, Mrs. Ralph George, Mrs. Jack Burge and Mrs. Elmer Godfrey. —Tribune photo

WOMAN'S CLUB OF ARCADIA HOLDS MEMBERSHIP TEA IN BEAUTIFULLY DECORATED CLUB

Beauty of table appointments and floral arrangements vied with lovely new fall clothes last Wednesday at the annual membership tea of the Woman's club of Arcadia. Mrs. George Clinger, membership chairman, was in charge of the gala afternoon which nearly 300 members and their friends attended.

Silver and white was the theme of the beautifully appointed tea table which graced the auditorium, a shadow light on the stage reflected the candle-lighted table, and an arrangement of red roses on the piano on the stage.

The table was covered with a lovely cloth, hand-made in a convent in the Philippine islands, and centering it was a beautiful arrangement of white flowers held in a silver bowl. Silver candelabra holding tall, white tapers flanked this and silver tea and coffee services were placed at either end of the table. Dainty sandwiches, individual pastries, nuts and candies were placed around the table in silver dishes.

The foyer held a profusion of red roses, attractively arranged on the mantle, the cadenza and in the niches and on tables. The floral arrangements were done by Hortense.

Background music was played throughout the afternoon through the courtesy of Mel Pratt of the Arcadia Music Mart. Dean Douglas played piano music and Merv Kennedy played the marimba. Both are instructors at the Music Mart.

Taking turns pouring were Mrs. John P. Ross, Mrs. Ella Byrnes, Mrs. Wood Glover, Mrs. Bruce McAbery, Mrs. J. K. Weems, Mrs. J. T. Simpson and Mrs. Clinger. All are past presidents except Mrs. Clinger. Mrs. McAbery is again serving as president of the club.

Assisting Mrs. Clinger in arrangements were Mrs. H. J. Bair, co-chairman; Mrs. Ralph George, Mrs. Elmer Godfrey, Mrs. B. E. Turner, Mrs. Verne Winchell, Mrs. Jack Berge and Mrs. M. R. Clarke. Those assisting the committee were Mrs. N. E. Stadig, Mrs. Robert Lane, Mrs. E. J. Frentress and Mrs. M. W. Coker.

Arcadia
Program
Announcements

The Woman's Club of Arcadia, with its many programs has been busy for the year.

Mrs. Richard Stadig, as chairman of the summer at the club, is a following committee. Mrs. Kennett, Mrs. Thomas B. Coker and Mrs. M. W. Coker.

First program was an outstanding Schoenfeld cellist, and they were started early. They have a der world-

Arcadia Woman's Club Programs for Season Announced by Chairman

The Woman's Club of Arcadia, whose president is Mrs. Bruce McAbery, will open the club season on Oct. 7 and interesting and varied programs have been planned by the program committee.

Mrs. Richard Straub, program chairman, announces the programs for the year. She and her committee spent many hours during the summer at auditions to find entertainment that would please all. Mrs. Straub is assisted by Mrs. N. E.

Stadig, as co-chairman, and the following committee: Mrs. Raymond Kennett, Mrs. John Balthes, Mrs. Thomas B. Kemp, Mrs. Ralph Spencer and Mrs. Jack McHull Wagner.

First program of the year will be an outstanding music event. "The Schoenfelds"—Eleanore, a concert cellist, and Alice, a concert violinist. They were born in Yugoslavia and started early on musical careers. They have been concert artists under world-famous directors in many

cities of the world and have always been enthusiastically acclaimed.

"The World and Its Way" will be the topic of Georgiana Hardy on Oct. 21. Miss Hardy is the distinguished commentator on Cavalcade of Books. On Nov. 14, the Collegiate Duo, Marilyn Taylor, soprano, and Paul Mayo, tenor, will present a wide variety of song repertoire in which they are joined by Lorayne Hamilton, accompanist.

New Sparkle

The West Shore Trio, concert ensemble of distinguished personnel, each of whom has played as soloist with the Los Angeles Philharmonic Symphony orchestra, will give a new sparkle to the beloved classics and interesting moderns.

And for the Christmas meeting on Dec. 16, Mrs. Straub announces a beloved favorite, "Lords Puppets," called the "Folies Bergere" of marionettes, will give a complete review. John Pettley, the inimitable British humorist, will talk on "An Englishman Discovers America," at the Jan. 6 meeting. The April 21 program will bring Vera Jean Varny, soprano, who will present a program of favorite music with her golden voice.

On March 17, the Arcadia Woman's club will host the annual meeting of Los Angeles District council, and on Civic day, April 7, Dr. Myron G. Olson, associate professor of education at the University of Southern California, will speak on "Our Responsibilities for a Better Tomorrow."

In addition, the club departments will sponsor programs at the regular luncheon meetings.

Club Women To Attend District Meet

The club season for the five-county Los Angeles district, Federation of Women's clubs, will open Sept. 10 with its council program in the Santa Monica Bay Woman's clubhouse, with Mrs. George Cornelius, president, officiating throughout the day.

Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the Arcadia Woman's club, will be in attendance. Others from the Arcadia Woman's club will include Mrs. J. K. Weems, district special events chairman; and Mrs. Jesse Balser, co-chairman of safety for district; and Mrs. L. R. Short, federation secretary for the Arcadia club.

Mrs. Ruth L. Blackman, president of the Los Angeles Elementary Teachers club, and Mrs. Elaine McCall, district chairman of education, will lead a panel review of the National Education association convention during the morning session. The General Federation convention will be reported by members who attended.

Speaking in the morning will be Chet Huntley on "Our Differences—Our Strength." Mrs. H. S. Cogar is taking luncheon reservations.

Dr. Ernest G. Bashor will be the principal afternoon speaker. He is president of the McKinley Home for Boys, a past district governor of Kiwanis International and is on the executive board of the Los Angeles chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

Women's World

Arcadia Woman's Club To Open Season Wednesday With Musical Program

The Women's Club of Arcadia will open its 1953-54 season Wednesday at the traditional 11:30 a.m. luncheon meeting, with the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery, welcoming members and guests. Mrs. Richard Straub, program chairman, and her committee, have planned outstanding entertainment for the opening program of the year, with the sisters, Eleanor and Alice Schoenfeld, concert pianists.

They were born in Yugoslavia and started on a musical career early in their lives. After some years as a child ballerina at the Berlin State opera and studies of piano and violin, Eleanor decided when she was about eight, to concentrate on playing the cello. She soon became a pupil of the master class at the Berlin University of Music where she studied 11 semesters. After obtaining her masters degree she took a special course with the late Prof. Alfred Saal, cellist of the famous Wedding Quartet, and soon she became one of the leading young concert cellists.

Her sister, Alice, made her first triumphant concert-tour in Yugoslavia at the age of five. Later she became a pupil of Prof. Karl Klingner, leader of the famous Klinger-Quartet. She made a triumphant success when playing the Brahms violin-concerto, substituting for Adolf Bush, who suddenly became ill.

The sisters have been widely acclaimed in many of the principal cities of Europe. They made their debut on the West Coast at the Santa Barbara Festival series of the Music Academy of the West.

Catered Luncheon

An innovation this year will be the catered luncheons at a cost of \$1 each. Reservations must be in by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, DOuglas 6-1091 or Mrs. James Skinner, CUster 5-1792.

Mrs. N. E. Stadig will be in charge of decorations during October. The door committee consists of Mrs. Robert H. Lane, chairman; Mrs. William W. Weaver, Mrs. Simon Walters, Mrs. John E. Vanderbur, Mrs. George W. Castle, Mrs. Albert H. Green, Mrs. Harvey E. Moss, Mrs. Daniel Mulcahy and Mrs. Edward Kaurin.

Garden Department

Garden department of the Arcadia Woman's club will meet Wednesday at noon in the solarium of the clubhouse. Bring sandwich; coffee will be served. Club members are invited to come and participate in the flower show theme contest. Bring flower arrangements and extra material for the plant sale. An interesting program on camellias and roses will be given.



MRS. BRUCE McABERY
... presides

Literature Group Opens Season

Mrs. John P. Scull was hostess to the literature department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia at her home, 225 East Longden, at a kaffee klatsch, the first meeting of the year.

Mrs. John T. Simpson, chairman, presided, and a large membership was in attendance. The first business transacted was the regretful acceptance of the resignation of Mrs. John Yeager as secretary. Mrs. Homer Brown was appointed to take her place.

Mrs. Dorothy Krisling was speaker of the day, and her subject was "Creative Writing." She gave many valuable suggestions for the short story contest, which is one of the projects of the year for the department.

Distinguished Commentator To Give Program at Woman's Club

Something unusual has been planned by Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the Woman's Club of Arcadia for the regular luncheon meeting Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. Theme of the luncheon program will be "A Look in the Rear View Mirror."

The afternoon program will be given by Georgiana Hardy, distinguished commentator on Cavalcade of Books. Mrs. Hardy is a radiant, enthusiastic authority on national and international affairs, and outstanding woman TV book reviewer. Sponsored on television by 72 publishers because of her background, her colorful descriptions and intelligent observations, the result of years of close relationship with outstanding personalities of the world and work with government and agency officials on important issues.

Her heritage includes a signer of the Constitution, a chaplain of the U. S. Senate, and the founder of the Western Union Telegraph company. Her interest in literature stems from her great grandfather who was one of the Harper brothers of publishing fame.

During the course of her activities she has testified as an expert before Congressional committees, has known outstanding national figures in both political parties, and has worked closely with the staff of foreign embassies in Washington.

Mrs. Hardy is married to Jack W. Hardy, well-known community leader, and is the proud mother of three fine children, ranging in age from 15 to 22.

Ways and means department of the club will conduct a sale of toys and hand-painted articles in the foyer.

FASHION BY EVENING WOMAN'S

The fall fashion Woman's club will o'clock in the garden drive, Santa Anita O

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FASHION TEA TO BE STAGED BY EVENING DEPARTMENT OF WOMAN'S CLUB AT WINCHELLS'

The fall fashion tea of the evening department of the Arcadia Woman's club will be held Saturday afternoon, Sept. 19, at 2 o'clock in the garden of the Verne Winchell home, 329 Arbolada drive, Santa Anita Oaks.

This is the first fashion show to be staged by the evening department and plans are being made to make it one to be long remembered. The new fall and winter fashions will be shown through the courtesy of the Downtown Arcadia Merchants and will include coats, suits, formal wear and sportswear. The fascinating new fabrics of the season will be featured. Richard Clark will commentate the show. Merchants displaying their clothes will include Merry's Arcadia, Cowle's, Winifred's, Peter Pan shop, Petite shop, Hiatt's, Becker's and the Smart shop.

Background music will be played throughout the afternoon through the courtesy of Mel Pratt of the Arcadia Music Mart.

Arrangements for the show are being made by Mrs. Ernest Hutchins, ways and means chairman of the evening department and chairman of the fashion show. She is assisted by Mmes. C. Neiderhaus, Jack Bosworth, Thomas Kemp, Kay Turner, Allan Langlois and Jack Wagner. Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. Verne Winchell at Custer 5-9974 or Mrs. Hutchins at DOuglas 7-2390.

Proceeds from the fashion show will be used by the department for its Christmas philanthropies which include toys and dolls for half-orphans.



INTERESTED—Merry Clark, left, is showing a new fall suit to Mmes. Jack Wagner, C. R. Neiderhaus, E. S. Hutchins and Tom Kemp in Merry's Arcadia shop. The suit will be shown in the fashion show to be given Sept. 19, at the home of Mrs. Verne Winchell, by the evening department of the Arcadia Woman's club. Mrs. E. S. Hutchins is chairman of the fashion-tea.

—Tribune photo

Artist Gives Program For Club

The Woman's Club of Arcadia celebrated art week of the club and National Art Week at its luncheon meeting last Wednesday, which was presided over by the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery. Mrs. McAbery introduced Mrs. Philip Weary, chairman of the club's art department, who in turn, introduced her board and members of the department.

An outstanding musical program was presented during the luncheon by Anna Maria Angelino, 15-year-old Ramona Convent student, who played two numbers by Chopin and "Fire Dance," by Ravel as an encore. She was introduced by her music teacher, Mrs. Mildred Thurman of Alhambra.

The clubhouse and tables were decorated in the fall motif with cornucopias and chrysanthemums. Mrs. Wood Glover, decorating chairman for the month was assisted by Mines, Simon Walters, J. Charles Sholdes, John T. Simpson and Iris Rice. Mrs. George Clinger, membership chairman, introduced four new members.

Mrs. David Shrader, ways and means chairman, announced the completion of a project that raised more than \$800 for the club and displayed the cards tables that were purchased with some of the money. Mrs. McAbery announced that the Arcadia Woman's club won first prize at the special occasions luncheon at the Huntington, which was a beautiful painting.

The afternoon program was given by Charles J. Bergstrom, an artist of note, who is now residing in Arcadia. He and his wife were guests at the luncheon. Mr. Bergstrom called his program "Chalk and Talk." He painted three pictures, a scene in Flagstaff of the big trees and a sunset; one of Tahoe and one of the Tetons in Wyoming. Mr. Bergstrom during his remarks, told the group that they are privileged to live in the United States and in California, one of the most beautiful places in the world. The picture of the Tetons was purchased by a club member and the other two may be bought.



COLLEGIATE DUO
... young artists

Young Artists To Present Musical Program at Woman's Club of Arcadia

"Looking Ahead Through the Wide Windshield," is the intriguing topic of the luncheon program Wednesday at the regular luncheon of the Woman's Club of Arcadia. The afternoon program will be presented by The Collegiate Duo, Marilyn Taylor, soprano, and Paul Mayo, tenor. First vice-president, Mrs. Roy Regnier, will preside at the meeting in the absence of President Mrs. Bruce McAbery, who will attend the district conference of CFWC at Ojai, where she will give the devotional.

The young singers will present a wide variety of song repertoire in which they are joined by Loralynne Hamilton, accompanist. The work of these singers is marked by a fine maturity of artistry and they have won popular acclaim in their many appearances as a concert team.

Miss Taylor's busy musical calendar includes a singing role in the "Magic Flute" under the direction of Alfred Wallenstein, and a solo appearance with the Glendale Symphony orchestra in "Judas Maccabeus." Now attending the University of Southern California, Miss Taylor is an outstanding soloist with the Trojan choir under the direction of Dr. Charles Hirt, both in Los Angeles and on tour.

Mr. Mayo possesses a strong flair for the dramatic and a youthful buoyancy which predicts a brilliant career ahead based on a firm foundation of successful starring roles achieved in his immediate past. He made his first hit as a dashing caballero in Rose of the Rancho at Glendale high school, followed by romantic leads at Glendale college. While at the Idylwild School of

Woman's Club Hears Soloists In Concert

Enthusiastic reception was given the Collegiate Duo, vocal artists who entertained at the recent regular meeting of the Woman's club of Arcadia, a meeting held in the Woman's clubhouse and conducted by First Vice-President Mrs. Roy Regnier, serving for President Mrs. Bruce McAbery.

The musicians, Soprano Marilyn Taylor, Tenor Paul Mayo and Accompanist Loralynne Hamilton, were introduced by Mrs. Richard Straub.

The freshness of youth marked the outstanding performance presented by the classical artists, whose program was varied and colorful.

For the past three years Miss Taylor, who has wide experience in opera, light opera and musical comedies, has been soloist at the Rossmoyne Christian church and the First Methodist church of Glendale. She also has been presented with the church federation performances of "The Messiah," as well as soloist in "Saul," "St. Paul," "Gallia" and "The Magnificent."

Now attending the University of Southern California, she is an outstanding soloist with the Trojan choir, both in Los Angeles and on tour.

Mayo also is soloist at the Rossmoyne Christian church, a position he has held for two years. He has sung as soloist in "The Messiah" and other compositions in which Miss Taylor has appeared. His calendar also includes a solo appearance with the Glendale Symphony orchestra.

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PROJECT COMPLETED—With the arrival of 24 card tables from the East, a major ways and means project of the Woman's Club was completed. The tables arrived last week at the Santa Fe Freight Lines in Arcadia to be received by Mrs. David Shrader, left, ways and means chairman; Mrs. Gerald Mills, who accomplished the job, and Mrs. Bruce McAbery, club president. The project, which was accomplished through the cooperation of Arcadia merchants, raised \$840 for the goal set by the ways and means committee for the year. —Tribune photo

WOMAN'S CLUB COMMITTEE ENDS OUTSTANDING PROJECT

Ways and means committee of the Woman's Club of Arcadia has just completed one of its biggest money-making projects of the year, announces Mrs. David Shrader, ways and means chairman of the club. The project which raised \$840 was handled throughout by one member of the committee, Mrs. Gerald J. Mills, who contacted Arcadia merchants for their advertising.

The project was the means of obtaining badly needed card tables for the clubhouse and of raising funds for the ways and means goal. The tables are beautiful with maroon tops and the merchants' names inscribed in silver. Besides 24 of these tables the committee also purchased 106 decks of playing cards.

The tables came in Wednesday morning at the Santa Fe Freight Line depot in Arcadia from Mt. Ephraim, N. J., and were accepted by Mrs. Bruce McAbery, club president, Mrs. Shrader and Mrs. Mills. Mrs. Shrader has expressed the thanks of herself and committee to the merchants of Arcadia for their courteous cooperation in this project.

Merchants advertising were Swim Art, Carpenter's "Chicken in the Rough," Arcadia Sports Goods, Arcadia Tribune, Oakwood Liquors, Thomas Cosentino, Model Linen Supply Service, Watts Friendly Mobil station, Marberry shop, Royal Market, Arcadia Feed and Seed, Rodgers and Sons, The King's Cup, Maler Plumbing, Arcadia Music Mart, Petite Shop, Culligan Soft Water, San Gabriel Valley Lumber, Melvin Kaiser Academy, Rudy's, Arcadia Bowling Courts, Arcadia Cleaners, Arcadia Nutrition Center, Professional Pharmacy, Roland Hair Stylist, Al Bader Custom Tailor, The Derby, Sirey's Interiors, Arcadia Motors, Arcadia Small Animal Hospital, Town and Country, Tom Baker Union Oil, El Rancho Children's Shop, El Rancho Market, Margaret

ARTIST TO PAINT PICTURES AT WOMAN'S CLUB LUNCHEON MEET

Regular luncheon meeting of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will be held Wednesday at 11:30 a.m. with the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery, welcoming members and their guests.

During the luncheon period, the president will introduce Ann Maria Angeleno, 15-year-old Ramona Convent student, who will give a 15-minute musical program. She is a student of Mildred Thurman of South Pasadena and has won several contests.

The afternoon program will be presented through the courtesy of the art department of which Mrs. Philip Weary is chairman. Charles J. Bergstrom, an artist of note, will present an interesting unusual program entitled "Chalk and Talk."

Mr. Bergstrom has lived in Arcadia for two years. For many years he did murals all over the country for the Chicago and Northwestern and Union Pacific railroads. He also taught at the Chicago Art institute and took first prize in an art contest called "Sanity in Art."

He will paint three pictures on the stage, of the audience's choosing, and will keep up a flow of interesting conversation while he is creating the beautiful picture. When finished, the pictures will belong to the club and will be sold, the money they bring will go to the club.

Reservations for the 11:30 a.m. luncheon are requested by tonight. Call Mr. Richard Barro, chairman of the reservations committee or Mmes. James Skinner, Lester Lee or George Langsner.

Members and their guests will be cordially greeted at the door. Serving on that committee are Mrs. Rose Lane, chairman, assisted by Mmes. William Weaver, Simon Walters, John Vanderbur, George Castle, Albert Green, Harvey Moss St., Daniel Mulcahy and Edward Kaurin.



BALLET—Barbara Bouck, above, and Judith Purnell, took part in an original ballet given Oct. 29 at the luncheon of Los Angeles District CFWC in the Hotel Huntington.

ARCADIA WOMAN'S CLUB WELL REPRESENTED AT LUNCHEON OF FIRST DISTRICT CFWC

Arcadia Woman's club won first prize in Class A at the annual Special Occasions luncheon of Los Angeles District CFWC, held Oct. 29 at the Huntington hotel and attended by 856 club women from all over district. The prize won by the Arcadia club was a floral painted by Mrs. Mabel Baker of San Gabriel.

Mrs. J. K. Weems, past president of the Arcadia Woman's club and district special occasions chairman, was in charge of the event, which netted \$1056.56 for district's ways and means fund. Mrs. Weems was assisted by her co-chairman in district, Mrs. L. R. Short, who is also federation secretary of the Arcadia Woman's club.

Members of the music department of the Arcadia club also brought honor to the club by their presentation of two musical numbers. Taking part in the ensemble were Mmes. Clarke Bridgeman, A. P. Stuhman and LeRoy Anderson.

An original ballet was presented by Evelyn LeMone of Pasadena who also has an Arcadia studio. The choreography was written especially for the luncheon. "Autumn" was the theme of the luncheon and the Crystal dining room was beautifully decorated in orange, yellow and bronze chrysanthemums. A ballet, "As Autumn Comes," danced by Barbara Bouck and Judith Purnell, also carried out the theme.

Mrs. George Cornelius, district president, opened the meeting, and introduced Mrs. Joseph Wenger, state president, and other state officers before turning the meeting over to Mrs. Weems, who was emcee for the afternoon.

Others taking part in the ballet numbers were Suzy Adams, Sharon Gessel, Jodi Raymond, Patty Manning, Nadine Davis, Diane Mallman, Patty Ireland, Marsha McMann, Nada Opperman, Judy Hall, Karen Shanley, Donna Disbrow, Nicolette Melleste, Cynthia Seeley, Connie Kirin, Ruth La Mar, Jill Pardieck,

Woman's Club History Department Holds Traditional Holiday Party

Traditional pre-Thanksgiving potluck luncheon was enjoyed by members of the California history and landmarks department of the Women's Club of Arcadia on Wednesday, Nov. 25 in the clubhouse solarium, with Mrs. J. E. Hutton, chairman, presiding. Arrangements for the luncheon were in charge of Mmes. Bruce Williams, A. F. Hacquebord and William Adams, department officers.

Plans were made for a field trip to the John Steven McGroarty home in the Verdugo Hills by department members and their guests on Wednesday, Jan. 27. The department

joined with other history-minded groups throughout the Southland last year in a successful attempt to have McGroarty's study preserved by the county, whose department of parks and recreation recently purchased the home and 40-acre estate. McGroarty is famed as California's late poet-laureate and author of the "Mission Play." The Arcadians will be conducted through the home by Miss Margaret McHale, McGroarty's niece.

The meeting included a brief program presented by Mrs. Hutton, who highlighted excerpts from "San Francisco: A Pageant," by Charles Caldwell Dobie. The mission, rancho, gold, and bonanza periods of the city's history were touched upon.

Welcomed to the meeting were Mmes. Marie Cuykendall, a new member, and Flora Hacquebord, Ida Welsh, Lucy Wyss, Juliet Renshaw, Helen Gonter, Jane Lilja, Lola Trew, Marge Schottler, Marcia Crellin, Hazel White, Eugenia Griffin, Garland Williams and Florence Adams.

Plans were completed for a joint Christmas party with the international relations and drama departments at the clubhouse on Monday, Dec. 14. This will be a noon potluck luncheon, with a Yuletide program. All attending are asked to contribute either a wrapped toy for a child at

Casa Colina, or an unwrapped item of linen for the institution.

Arcadia Club Women To Take Part in Luncheon At Huntington on Oct. 29

Mrs. J. K. Weems, special occasions chairman of Los Angeles District, Federation of Women's clubs, announces that tickets are still available for the special occasions luncheon to be held in the Crystal room of the Hotel Huntington at 12:30 p.m. on Oct. 29.

Decorations and the program will be carried out in the theme of the luncheon, which is "Autumn."

The committee voted to give three attendance prizes to the clubs bringing the largest attendance and these prizes will be beautiful paintings. Mrs. William MacArthur of the Arcadia Woman's club has given one of the prizes.

The luncheon meeting will be opened at 12:30 p.m. by Mrs. George W. Cornelius, district president; the pledge of allegiance will be given by Mrs. J. A. McGee, district Americanism chairman; and Mrs. Edward Burns, district music chairman, will lead the National Anthem.

Members of the Arcadia Woman's club music department will give a musical number Suite by Eugene Gossens. Mrs. Marie Bridgman, will play the flute; Mrs. Virginia Lee Stuhman, the piano; and Mrs. Florence Anderson, the violin.

Several musical numbers will be given through the courtesy of Mae G. Hoenig, National Artist and Lecture series, and will include the duet from the second act of La Traviata by Verdi, Alice Lee and William Swan; Danse by Debussy, Raymond McFeeters; Passage Birds Farewell by Hildach, Alice Lee and William Swan; Romance from the Desert Song by Romberg, William Swan; I'm in Love With Vienna by Strauss, Alice Lee and William Swan.

The LeMone studio will present a program "As Autumn Comes," an original ballet by Evelyn LeMone with special choreography for the FWC luncheon.

Taking part in the program will be: Summer flowers; Suzy Adams, Sharon Gessel, Jodi Raymond, Patty Manning, Nadine Davis and Diane Mallman; Summer attendants; Patty Ireland, Marsha McMann, Nada Opperman and Judy Hall. Summer; Judith Purnell; Bacchantes; Karen Shanley, Donna Disbrow and Nicolette Melieste; Bacchae; Cynthia Seeley, Autumn fairies; Connie Kirlin, Ruth La Mar, Jill Pardieck, Kathryn Wool-

sey, Shirham Wagner, Gay Cluff, Jean Murphy and Charlotte Evans; Autumn; Barbara Bouck.

For reservations call Mrs. Weems at Atlantic 0-2464.

LOS ANGELES DISTRICT CFWC TO HOLD SPECIAL LUNCHEON IN CRYSTAL ROOM OF HUNTINGTON

Final plans have been made for the Los Angeles District "Special Occasions" luncheon to be held Oct. 29 at 12:30 p. m. in the Crystal room of the Huntington hotel. Much enthusiasm for the event was evidenced by a committee that was entertained recently at a luncheon given by the chairman, Mrs. J. K. Weems, at her home in San Gabriel.

The committee voted to award three attendance prizes to the club bringing the largest membership attendance. These prizes will include three beautiful oil paintings, to be donated by Mrs. W. L. MacArthur of the Arcadia Woman's club, Mrs. Mabel Baker, San Gabriel Woman's club, and Dr. Wilbur Wenzlaff, whose wife is the junior past president of the South Pasadena Woman's club. The committee also wrapped numerous door prizes to be given at the luncheon.

Decorations and program will be carried out in the theme of the luncheon, which is "Autumn."

First part of the program will be a lyric trio to be provided by the Arcadia Woman's club; the second part will be contributed by a well-known artist and lecture series and will feature such stars as Alice Lee, William Swan and Raymond McFeeters.

The third will be an original ballet entitled "As Autumn Comes," with special choreography for the Federation of Women's clubs. The ballet was written by Evelyn LeMone and will be a contribution of Pasadena school children, ranging in age from 12 to 17, who are students of the Le Mone studio.

The purpose of this special occasion's luncheon is to stimulate interest in various district club activities which unite mutual help and fellowship.

A capacity crowd is expected, states Mrs. Weems, who is a past president of the Woman's Club of Arcadia. She also served as chairman of the Build Freedom with Youth program of the Arcadia club.

For reservations call Mrs. Weems, Atlantic 0-2464.



MRS. J. K. WEEMS
... plans event

Women's World

West Shore Trio To Give Program at Woman's Club Meeting on Wednesday.

The noted West Shore trio will be featured on the afternoon program of the next meeting of the Woman's club of Arcadia, a luncheon affair that will begin in the Woman's clubhouse at 11:30 a.m. Wednesday. President Mrs. Ruth McAbery will conduct the meeting, and the program will be presented by Mrs. Richard W. Straub.

The West Shore trio is a concert ensemble composed of Gwendolyn Lund, pianist; Romneya Miller, cellist, and Julia Malloy, violinist.

Gwendolyn Lund has concertized throughout the Southland and has appeared as soloist with the Los Angeles Philharmonic orchestra on radio and on the stage. Her performances have won her ovations from both the audience and the orchestra, and she has been described as playing "with accuracy, brilliancy, subtlety of expression and a grasp of music that stamps her as the possessor of musical talents seldom encountered."

Romneya Miller was soloist and first cellist with the Honolulu Symphony orchestra for two years and also has presented solo concerts for the chamber music recitals at the Honolulu Art academy. She was presented in solo concert on the Salt Lake Master Artist series, was cellist of the Liebrecht Quartet and Trio Concert series and has played on the Coleman Chamber series with the winning ensemble of the competition offered by that group. She also has been soloist with the famous Hancock ensemble and is a former member of the Philhar-

Literature Department

Literature department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will hold a kaffee klatsch tomorrow at 9:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. E. H. Dettra, 502 South Drake road. Mrs. L. G. Vollentine will give a book review. All club members are invited to attend the meetings of this department.

Musical Program Highlights Meeting of Club Department

The music department of the Arcadia Woman's club enjoyed a successful meeting on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Roy J. Regnier, 410 East Duarte road, Arcadia.

Outstanding highlights of the meeting were a presentation of four folk songs, sung by Mrs. Alfred M. LaRay, accompanist, Mrs. Thomas B. Kemp; a brief review of current events in the music world, given by Mrs. H. Verne Woodruff, and Mrs. Bruce G. McAbery, president of the local Woman's club, brought to the group Edgar Guest's poem, "Four Men of God," fittingly ending this true account of heroic sacrifice with "The Lord's Prayer," by Malotte. Mrs. Marguerite Butters accompanied Mrs. McAbery, playing Debussy's "Clair de Lune," as background music for the reading.

After a philanthropy report from Mrs. James Kercheval, it was decided by the members to activate a perpetual birthday remembrance fund for some handicapped or hospitalized children's group in or near our community.

Discussion was held regarding the possible prospect of securing a new Spinet piano for the clubrooms, replacing the upright instrument now in use. Members were urged to support and contribute to the bake sale on Wednesday, at the clubhouse.

Mrs. A. P. Stuhman, chairman, presided, and, following refreshments, chorus rehearsal was conducted by Mrs. Thatcher Jordan, director, with Miss Mary Valentine as accompanist.

Members and guests present at this November meeting were Mmes. Thatcher Jordan, J. E. Hutton, Bruce G. McAbery, John B. Scull, Homer C. Sandberg, J. K. Weems, Charles Ganther, L. Thombs, Leroy Anderson, M. M. Trew, Charles W. Stewart, Clarke Bridgman, Leon-

ard S. Cartwright, James Kercheval, Alfred M. LaRay, Della K. Cox, Albert H. Green, Robert H. Lane, John Richardson, E. J. Frentress, Marguerite Butters, H. Verne Woodruff, Lincoln Schick, A. P. Stuhman, James Skinner, Roy J. Regnier, Thomas B. Kemp, and Miss Mary Valentine. Assisting Mrs. Regnier as hostesses were Mmes. M. M. Trew and Thomas B. Kemp.



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CHRISTMAS PLANS—As is traditional with the evening department, of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, its members are dressing dolls for half-orphans, and shown here busily at work on the project are, left to right, Mrs. Verne Winchell, chairman of the department; Mrs. V. John Barry, Mrs. Gene Clarkson, philanthropic chairman, and Mrs. Jack Bosworth.

Evening Group Dedicates 'White Christmas' Ball Money To Arcadia Hospital

The words "White Christmas" carry with them memories of childhood dreams, of white snow glistening like diamonds in pale moonlight, of sleigh bells and Santa Claus—and when the White Christmas theme is adopted for an event, it seems to clothe it with a magical effect and the joys of the Christmas season lodge in the hearts of all who participate.

The annual White Christmas ball of the evening department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will, this year, carry with it another dream, that of raising money to be used to establish a nursery and for pediatric equipment for Arcadia's new hospital. And that is not all, this group of young matrons have ambitious dreams, they also want to establish a revolving fund for premature babies of needy parents. They have found that a premature baby must weigh at least five pounds before it can be taken home. Care is necessarily expensive and most of the time this additional expense has not only not been considered by the parents, but in most cases difficult to meet.

The White Christmas ball will be held Saturday night, Dec. 19 in the San Gabriel Valley Shrine club, 27 West Huntington drive. Dancing will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. to the music of Eddie Jackson and his orchestra. The hall will be decorated in traditional red and white for the gala evening.

Mrs. Ernest Hutchins, ways and means chairman, is general chairman of the benefit ball. She is assisted by Mes. Tom Kent, Robert Titgemeyer, C. R. Neiderhaus, Galen Stouder, Sidney Koppel and Albert Clement.

Dress Dolls

The department started the project of dressing dolls to be given to half-orphans of Los Angeles county in 1951 and this year the group is dressing 50 dolls as well as preparing skirts and sweaters.

Plans were made for the benefit dance and for dressing the dolls at the Nov. 9 board meeting presided over by the chairman, Mrs. Verne Winchell. And it was at that time that the department voted to allocate all funds derived from the Christmas dance to the Arcadia hospital. In addition, it voted to contribute \$100 to the Maryknoll Tubercular sanatorium in Monrovia, for men and women patients; and \$100 to be given to Santa Teresita sanitarium in Duarte, home for tubercular girls and women, ages from 3 to 30.

Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Hutchins, a most successful fashion show was staged last summer in the garden of the Winchell home, and the money derived from this is being used for philanthropy. Last summer also, they collected bicycles, repaired and painted, and gave these to half-orphans. In addition they recently sent two boxes of clothing to Holland.

It was in 1950 that the evening department was formed within the Woman's Club of Arcadia, with Mrs. W. D. Gibbs acting as honorary chairman. The new department opened its activities at a tea at which they honored senior and junior club members.

Philanthropy has always been the chief objective of this group of young women whose first project was to collect toys, repair them and paint them and give them to McLaren hall. They send boxes regularly to countries in Europe and plans are now being formulated to start an American Home section within the department. The group is looking forward to a goal of increased membership, fine programs, to chart philanthropy activities

MUSIC DEPARTMENT TO HOLD CHRISTMAS PARTY AT ROBERT PARADISES

Music department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will hold a Christmas luncheon party on Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 10:30 a. m. at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Paradise, 1144 Rancho road. The department has extended a cordial invitation to all club members to attend the party and enjoy the day with department members.

All are asked to bring a casserole, salad or dessert, and a "white elephant" Christmas exchange present. An entertaining program will follow the luncheon.



PLAN DECORATIONS—Members of the evening department of the Woman's club of Arcadia are busy planning decorations for their White Christmas benefit ball on Dec. 19. Shown here are, left to right, seated, Mrs. Ernest Hutchins, Mrs. Robert Titgemeyer and Mrs. C. R. Neiderhaus. Standing, Mrs. Albert J. Clement and Mrs. Tom Kemp.

PLANS GO FORWARD FOR GALA 'WHITE CHRISTMAS' DANCE TO BENEFIT ARCADIA'S HOSPITAL

Final plans are being made by members of the Evening department of the Woman's club of Arcadia for their annual benefit White Christmas dance, which will be held Saturday, Dec. 19 from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. in the San Gabriel Valley Shrine clubhouse, 27 West Huntington drive. All money received from this important dance will be used by the group to establish a nursery and for pediatric equipment for Arcadia's new hospital. The group also plans to establish a revolving fund to be used for the care of premature babies of needy parents.

Tickets for this important dance may be obtained at the Arcadia Music Mart or by calling Mrs. Ernest S. Hutchins, Douglas 7-2390; Mrs. Verne Winchell, department chairman, Custer 5-5973; or Mrs. Robert Titgemeyer, Douglas 7-0128.

Extensive plans are being made by department members to make the evening truly a gala one, both in fellowship and to raise a large sum for the hospital. The hall will be gaily decorated in the Christmas theme and dancing will be to the music of Eddie Jackson and his orchestra.

Mrs. Ernest Hutchins is general chairman of the dance. Serving on her committee are Mrs. Tom Kemp, Mrs. Robert Titgemeyer, Mrs. Galen Stouder, Mrs. Sidney Koppel, Mrs. Albert Clement and Mrs. C. R. Neiderhaus.



HOLIDAY BELLS will ring for philanthropy at white Christmas dance of Arcadia Woman's Club, evening di-

vision. Mmes. Robert W. Titgemeyer, Ernest Hutchins and Verne H. Winchell, from left, check decorations.

Times photo by Clay Willcockson

IN ARCADIA

Club Plans Yule Dance on Saturday

Sparkling white Christmas trees and bright crimson bells will transform the San Gabriel Valley Shrine Club into a winter wonderland Saturday night for the annual Christmas dance of the evening department of Arcadia Woman's Club.

Proceeds will be used to buy nursery and pediatric equipment for the new Arcadia Hospital. Mrs. Ernest S. Hutchins, ways and means chairman, is directing plans for the dance.

Dolls Prepared

Assisting the chairman are Mmes. Thomas B. Kemp, Robert W. Titgemeyer, Albert J. Clement, Clifton R. Niederhaus, Sidney E. Koppel and Galen S. Stouder.

For the third consecutive year members are dressing 50 Christmas dolls for the half-orphans of Los Angeles County. Skirts and sweaters are also being made for needy teenagers.

Other Projects

Mrs. Verne H. Winchell is chairman of the department which was formed three years ago to promote intellectual and civic improvement and to fur-

ther philanthropies of Arcadia. Projects of the department include Santa Tere-sita Sanatorium and Mary Knoll Woman's Club. Additional proj- financial support of Santa Tere-Sanatorium.

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ARCADIA WOMAN'S CLUB TO SEE DANIEL LLORDS' FAMOUS PUPPETS ON HOLIDAY PROGRAM

Daniel Llords and his internationally famous Llords' Puppets, will offer delightful and fascinating entertainment Wednesday at the traditional Christmas meeting of the Woman's club of Arcadia.

Often called the "Folies Bergere" of marionettes, Llords' Puppets are acclaimed everywhere as the finest of all time, dynamic, glam-

orous and imaginative, and the most spectacular piece of virtuosity on the concert stage. Throughout each delightful revue, Mr. Llords is visible single-handedly manipulating more than 143 "high strung" creatures.

Daniel Llords is an acclaimed impressario. Critics say of him "the technique of Mr. Llords could be equalled to the talent of a fine pianist, his control is unbelievable." He has been featured in 23 motion pictures in support of such stars as Fred Astaire, Ginger Rogers, Bing Crosby, Charles Laughton, Irene Dunn and Charles Boyer.

His radio appearances with Alec Templeton, Nelson Eddy, Eddie Cantor, Claudette Colbert and the late Max Reinhardt have made him known throughout the United States. At his Hollywood Puppet theater, a remarkable successful venture, he nightly greeted such celebrities as Judy Garland, Gregory Peck, Edward G. Robinson and others. Both the mutual and NBC networks have been the scene of many of Mr. Llords' latest triumphs prior to his two years of service in the US Army.

Luncheon will be served as usual at 11:30 a.m. Reservations are requested by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, chairman; Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee and Mrs. George Langsner.

The music department of the club will conduct a bake sale at the clubhouse before the meeting and during intermission. Money will be used for the department's project to buy a spinet piano for the clubhouse.



DANIEL LLORDS
... famous

Arcadia Woman's Club Hosts Local Ministers

Ministers of Arcadia and their wives were special guests at the Christmas luncheon meeting of the Woman's club of Arcadia, and they were welcomed to the traditional event by the club president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery. The grace was offered by the Rev. D. Wiederhost, pastor of Our Saviour Lutheran church, and Mrs. Harlan Lindell gave the devotional.

Ministers and their wives introduced were the Rev. and Mrs. H. Reim of the American Lutheran church; the Rev. and Mrs. Edwin Howard of the Arcadia Congregational church; the Rev. and Mrs. A. Leonard Gilmour, the Arcadia Friends church; the Rev. and Mrs. Bennie Flint, Arcadia Baptist church; the Rev. and Mrs. Thatcher Jordan of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Methodist; Dr. and Mrs. J. Davis Barnard of the Arcadia Presbyterian church, and the Rev. J. P. Morley, father of Mrs. McAbery, who gave the benediction at the close of the luncheon.

The clubhouse was beautifully decorated with poinsettias by Mrs. E. J. Verhoef. Musical selections were sung by Mrs. Alfred LaRay, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas Kemp.

The Rev. Mr. Howard gave the Christmas message and all joined in the singing of Christmas carols.

The afternoon program was a delightful one that was enjoyed by all present, Daniel Llords and his internationally famous Llord's Puppets. The show was a new revue with a fascinating quality.

Woman's Club Hears Reports

Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the Arcadia Woman's club, welcomed guests and members last week at the regular luncheon meeting. Mrs. N. E. Stadig led the flag salute which was followed by the singing of "God Bless America." Mrs. Harlan Lindell, devotional chairman, gave the devotions.

The clubhouse was attractively decorated with camellias and chrysanthemums by Mrs. Andrew Hacquabord. During luncheon Mrs. L. R. Short, federation secretary, presented the members who had attended district conferences. These included Mrs. William Dillon, safety chairman, who stated that she had contacted City Manager William Richards on the matter of high shrubbery and low hanging trees

on the streets of Arcadia, and stated that Mr. Richards had promised co-operation. She urged members to cut or remove such trees or shrubs.

Mrs. G. G. Mead reported on a legislation and government conference at which Rep. Edgar Hiestand urged women to learn about their government at all levels. Mrs. John Renshaw, chairman of the Council of International clubs, read letters sent to Arcadia club members from women in Australia and Sweden, which she stated brought out the fact that the hopes, problems and aims of women all over the world are the same.

Following the intermission, John Pettley, guest speaker, kept his audience amused and interested as "He discovered America."

British Humorist To Be Guest Speaker at Arcadia Woman's Club

"An Englishman Discovers America" will be the topic of John Pettley, inimitable British humorist, when he appears at the Woman's Club of Arcadia Wednesday as guest speaker of the afternoon program. Luncheon will be served at 11:30 a.m. and Mrs. Bruce McAbery will preside at the business meeting.

Born in London, England, John Pettley first came to this country 1946, when he was sent over by the J. Arthur Rank Movie organization to study applications of meteorology to movie-making at Caltech. Here he worked under famed weatherman Dr. Irving P. Krick. In 1947, after receiving his master's degree, he returned to England to help in the production of many of the British films which became so popular in the United States.



JOHN PETTLEY
... British humorist

But the lure of California was too great for this widely traveled Englishman, and in 1948 he returned to California to join the faculty of the Webb school in Claremont, where he combines his teaching activities with his extensive speaking engagements.

Mr. Pettley received his undergraduate training at the University of London, and before joining the Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve for service in World War II, was headmaster of Wilingdon College, Milborne Port, England. During the war he served as scientific and intelligence officer with the Naval Air Arm in the Atlantic and South-east Asia theaters. After six years' service, he retired with the rank of lieutenant commander. He is a fellow of the Royal Geographical and Royal Meteorological societies.

During his four years of permanent residence in the United States he has devoted himself to the cause of a closer understanding between the peoples of the United States and Britain through a humorous interpretation of the differences in their ways of life. His keynote is that the basic philosophies of the two countries are the same, and that any real differences lie only on the surface. His widely appreciated talks, delivered with refreshing charm, bear witness to his genuine admiration for our country, and display a keen perception of our national idiosyncrasies.

Mr. Pettley has finally shattered the illusion that our cousins across the sea are lacking in a sense of humor. He leaves with his listeners a feeling that they have overlooked many of the humorous elements of

our daily life, and that, seen through the eyes of an Englishman, our American way of life contains many unsuspected sources of amusement.

Luncheon reservations must be in by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, chairman, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee or Mrs. George Langsner.



JOE LITTLEFIELD
... to speak

Joe Littlefield To Address Garden Section

Garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will have a potluck dinner Jan. 29, at 6:30 p.m., in the clubhouse, and a special invitation has been given to husbands of members and all interested club members.

Joe Littlefield, one of the Southland's foremost garden authorities, famous for his practical down to earth gardening advice will be guest speaker. His topic will be "Grooming the Garden for Spring Color."

After 25 years of "dirt-under-the-fingernails" gardening experience, Mr. Littlefield maintains, "There are no deep, dark secrets to good gardening! It's all a matter of simple, regular, periodic follow-through on a few important fundamentals."

Presidents Honored at Club Event

Past presidents of the Woman's Club of Arcadia were honored last Wednesday at the regular luncheon meeting of the Woman's Club of Arcadia. Theme of the luncheon program was "A Look in the Rear View Mirror."

Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president, welcomed members and guests and introduced past presidents, who were seated at the speaker's table. Each president, as she was introduced, gave a short resume of her term. They were Mrs. Emma Meade, 1931-32; Mrs. Jessie Stewart, 1933-34 and 1935-36; Mrs. Mozelle Russell, 1944-45; Mrs. Lillian Ross, 1945-46; Mrs. Mary Young, 1946-47; Mrs. Clara Morris, 1948-49; Mrs. Alma Weems, 1949-50; Mrs. McAbery, 1951-52; Mrs. Maurine Simpson, 1952-53.

Community singing was led by Mrs. A. P. Stuhman with Mrs. LeRoy Anderson accompanying at the piano. Decorations were carried out in the Hallowe'en motif by Mrs. N. E. Stadig, chairman for October, and her committee.

Following the luncheon intermission, Mrs. Stadig introduced Mrs. Jack (Georgiana) Hardy, who gave an interesting commentary on world affairs, urging housewives and club women to keep abreast of the times and informed on events of vital importance. The speaker is an authority on national and international affairs and is one of the outstanding women TV book reviewer.

Fine Program Enjoyed by Club Members

International relations department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia was in charge of the Jan. 20 luncheon meeting, which was presided over by Mrs. Earl Dettra, first vice-president, who officiated in the absence of the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery.

Mrs. N. E. Stadig, Americanism chairman, led in the flag salute; Mrs. Robert Stuhman led in the singing of "God Bless America," and Mrs. Harlan Lindell gave the devotionals. Mrs. Andrew Hacquebord was chairman of the decorations.

Mrs. Leslie Schottler, department chairman, presented members of the department and the guest of honor, Mrs. Reserl Wenig Keen, afternoon guest entertainer.

Mrs. Dettra presided at a short business meeting, following which James Neumeister presented the double octette from the Arcadia high school. The group sang two or three numbers from Brahms and two spirituals.

Following intermission, Mrs. Keen presented a wonderful program. She sang several songs in Austrian and English and discussed and showed slides of the Passion play in Oberammergau, Bavaria.

Year's Work Reported To Club Group

Mrs. Vern Winchell, chairman, presided at the monthly business meeting of the Evening department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia held in the clubhouse. She introduced Mrs. John P. Ross, who discussed the new by-law changes.

Plans were made for a social evening to include husbands on March 27, and Mrs. Ernest Hutchins was named chairman of the committee in charge of the event. Members were asked to save old nylons for war widows in Japan, and to bring rummage for the ways and means project of the Woman's club.

The report was read of the year's activities of the Evening department which showed the outstanding philanthropic work carried on by the group. The report was compiled by Mmes. Winchell, Hutchins and Thomas Kemp, who also read the report.

Mrs. Gerald Mills brought narcotic pamphlets to give to members on behalf of the narcotics project sponsored by the Arcadia Junior Woman's club, and which the Evening department voted to support.

Members present were Mmes. L. S. Cartwright, Verne Woodruff, Joseph Bosworth, Ernest Hutchins, Galen Stouder, William Messick, Richard Barro, D. Christie, Richard Marsh, Verne Winchell, Carl Hoblund, James Skinner, W. S. Bradner, Sidney Koppel, Anthony Anger, Robert Titgemeyer, Jack Wagner, C. R. Neiderhaus, Alan Langlois, Gerald Mills, Albert Clement, Thomas Kemp and Bea Slover.

Hostesses were Mmes. Albert La-Ray, and Peggy Kireheval. Three guests were welcomed, Mmes. R. Wagner, C. W. Johnson and D. Lindley.

New Officer To Preside at Woman's Club

Mrs. Earl Dettra, vice-president of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, will preside at the regular luncheon meeting on Wednesday in the absence of the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery. Mrs. Dettra was recently named vice-president upon the resignation of Mrs. Roy Regnier.

The afternoon program will be in charge of the international relations department of the club, and will feature a program by Mrs. Reserl Wenig Keen, former soprano soloist for the Oberammergau Passion play in Germany, who will sing and show colored slides of costumes and scenes from the pageant.

Luncheon will be served at 11:30 a. m. and reservations should be in by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee or Mrs. George Langsner. Mrs. L. Schottler is chairman of the international relations department.

Woman's Club To Present Arts, Crafts Exhibit

The Art department of the Woman's club of Arcadia will present its annual arts and crafts show in the Woman's clubhouse, 324 South First avenue, Saturday and Sunday, with the public invited to attend.

The exhibit will be open to the public from 2 to 5 Saturday afternoon, from 7 to 9 on Saturday evening and from 2 to 4 on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Philip Weary, chairman of the department, said that exhibits may be delivered Saturday morning at the clubhouse.

Arcadia artists have been invited to exhibit their work at the affair, which will include paintings, handicrafts and other artwork of wide variety and general interest.

Mrs. Weary invited all Arcadians to attend the arts and crafts show on one of the two days that it will be presented.

Mrs. Stadig Reports on District Meet

Mrs. N. E. Stadig, Americanism chairman of the Arcadia Woman's club, reported on the CFWC district birthday council held last week in Huntington Park, which she attended.

"Looking Backward and Forward" was the theme of the conclave. All clubs in district have pledged \$100 each to be used for the restoration of Independence hall, and \$2,163 was collected at the meeting. The names of the contributing clubs will be engraved on a plaque for restoration.

James Musatti, general manager of California State Chamber of Commerce gave an excellent talk on "Our Historical Heritage." Albert Otto gave Patrick Henry's talk on "Liberty or Death," and Dr. Raymond Lindquist of the First Presbyterian church of Hollywood, talked on "Our Spiritual Heritage."

Women's World

Woman's Club Celebrates Reciprocity Day, Music Section Gives Program

The annual Reciprocity Day luncheon was held last week by the Woman's Club of Arcadia and it will be a day long to be remembered. District and county officers were present as well as 22 presidents of clubs in the Los Angeles District CFWC. An outstanding program was presented in the afternoon by talented members of the club's music department, and the clubhouse was beautifully decorated with hearts and flowers carrying out the Valentine theme.

Four Girl Scout troops and four Camp Fire Girls' groups that are sponsored by the Woman's club, had worked for weeks previous to Reciprocity day in making the decorations. Club coordinators for the groups are Mrs. W. C. Myers, Camp Fire, and Mrs. Ralph C. Waters, Girl Scouts.

Mrs. Leonard Short, federation secretary, was in charge of arrangement for the day, which was presided over by Mrs. Earl Dettra, first vice-president, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Bruce McAbery.

Mrs. George Cornelius, president of Los Angeles District, spoke eloquently of the work that was being accomplished by clubwomen with a united effort, and appealed to the women to go forward with their work for youth and for the conservation of this country's natural resources.

Mrs. R. Butts, chairman of the Cancer Fund, was introduced and spoke to the group. Mrs. R. W. Cossar, vice-president of County Federation of Women's clubs, presented some interesting facts in her talk, "Why Federation?" She stated that the banding together of women into federations had proven to be a major contributing factor in furthering education, in bettering the position of women and children, and in the betterment of civic and public affairs. She stated that the Federation of California Women's clubs was founded in 1900, in Los Angeles District in 1901.

The afternoon program was given by the club's music department, and was one of the outstanding ones of the club. Mrs. N. E. Stadig introduced the chairman of the department, Mrs. A. P. Stuhman, who opened the program with piano numbers. Mrs. Alfred La Ray, in costume, gave a charming group of folk songs, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas Kemp; Mrs. Leonard Cartwright played two piano numbers and Mrs. Clarke Bridgeman played two flute solos.

The chorus sang three delightful numbers, directed by Mrs. Thatcher Jordan, and accompanied by Miss

Mary Valentine at the piano, and Mrs. Bridgeman on the flute.

Chorus members were: Mmes. Charles Stewart, John Scull, E. J. Prentress, Albert Green, L. G. Schick, H. Verne Woodruff, Maurice Trew, Wood Glover, Thomas Kemp, Alfred LaRay, Roy Regnier, Homer Sandberg, A. P. Stuhman, Louise Thombs and A. F. Slover.

Leaders of the youth groups who decorated were Girl Scouts, Troop 8, Mrs. Hal Howard and Mrs. Robert Blyth; Troop 51, Mrs. J. L. Radford and Mrs. Dewar Robinson; Troop 11, Mrs. Rich Harold Richards and Mrs. Joseph Franco; Troop 67, Mrs. H. W. Schmidt and Mrs. Arno Bragia.

Camp Fire Groups: Wayanka, Mrs. Jack Hendricks and Mrs. Carl Williams; Shekuwa, Mrs. S. J. Wightman and Mrs. William Hochmuth; Odacota, Mrs. W. C. Myers and Mrs. C. B. Yates; Tawa Tami, Mrs. Hubert Alexander and Mrs. John Deaton.

GARDEN GROUP TO HOST CONFERENCE

The district garden conference will be hosted in Arcadia by the garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia on Wednesday in the clubhouse. Coffee will be served and a sale of plants will be held at 9 a. m., with the program starting at 10 a. m.

The program will feature the history and plantings of the Los Angeles State and County arboretum and will be presented by H. H. Benson and Dewey Nelson. Camellia and gardenia corsage instruction will also be given by Sylvia Thompson.

Luncheon cost is \$1.50 and reservations are asked to be in by tonight. Call Mrs. Charles Johnson, DOuglas 7-6918, or Mrs. L. A. Rice, DOuglas 7-7955. A tour of the arboretum will be taken in the afternoon.

CFWC Garden Conference To Be Held Here

Annual garden conference of Los Angeles District CFWC will be held in Arcadia on Jan. 13 with the garden department of the Woman's club of Arcadia acting as hostess of the outstanding event. Mrs. George Irving of Glendale, district chairman, will preside.

Mrs. L. A. Rice, chairman of the Arcadia department, extends an invitation to all members of the Arcadia Woman's club to plan to attend the event. Luncheon will be served promptly at 12 noon to be followed immediately afterwards by the drawing for door prizes. At 1:30 there will be a tour of the arboretum and of a garden in this area.

There will be a plant sale and coffee will be served at 9 a. m. The program starts at 10 a. m. Dewey Nelson and H. H. Benson of the arboretum will be the speakers.

For reservations call Mrs. Mabel Wells, SYcamore 3-2497, or Mrs. Charles L. Johnson, DOuglas 7-6918.

RECIPROCITY DAY TO BE HELD AT CLUB

Federation Reciprocity day will be celebrated by the Woman's Club of Arcadia Wednesday at the regular luncheon meeting at 11:30 a. m. Mrs. L. R. Short, federation secretary, is in charge of the day. Mrs. George Cornelius, district president, and Mrs. R. W. Cossar, first vice-president of county, will be special guests, as will presidents of women's clubs throughout the area.

The afternoon program promises to be a splendid one and will be presented by the music department of the club. Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president, invites all members and their guests to attend and enjoy the day.

Reservations should be made by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barri, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee or Mrs. George Langsner.



DR. LIONEL STEVENSON
... eminent

LITERATURE SECTION TO PRESENT DR. STEVENSON AS GUEST SPEAKER AT WEDNESDAY MEET

Dr. Lionel Stevenson, internationally known humorist, educator and lecturer, will be guest speaker Wednesday at the afternoon program of the Woman's Club of Arcadia. The literature department of the club is in charge of the day and its chairman, Mrs. John T. Simpson, will introduce the speaker.

Dr. Stevenson is a professor of English at the University of Southern California and is head of the English department at that school. He received his degrees from the following universities: His B.A. at the University of British Columbia; M. A., University of Toronto; Ph.D., University of California; B. Litt., Oxford university; F.R.S.L. (Fellow of the Royal Society of Literature), England.

He has taught at the University of California at Berkeley, Arizona State college, University of Illinois,

University of Colorado, New York university, and University of British Columbia.

He is a well known author and among his published works are Appraisals of Canadian Literature, Darwin Among the Poets, The Wild Irish Girl, Doctor Quicksilver, The Showman of Vanity Fair, English Literature of the Victorian Period, and his latest The Ordeal of George Meredith.

Theme of the day will be "Good Books Bring Wisdom to Find the Truth," the decorations will carry out the theme. Honored guests at the speaker's tables will be Dr. Stevenson, Mrs. C. A. Wirth, district chairman of literature; Miss Grace Clark, librarian of Arcadia library; Jack Robinson and Mrs. Edgar Robinson of Robinson's Book store, and Mrs. Harold Everett, of the book department of Nash's of Arcadia.

Robinson's Book store will be in charge of a display of Dr. Stevenson's books at the club and will also feature a display in the store. Nash's will display the books of Dr. Stevenson and will furnish books for decorative purposes.

During the luncheon period, Mrs

L. J. Vollentine will read the short stories submitted in the short story contest being sponsored by the literature section. These stories will later be mimeographed and made available to members who wish them as friendship mementos.

Reservations for the 11:30 a. m. luncheon must be made by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee or Mrs. George Langsner.

Literature Department Hosts Day for Luncheon of Woman's Club of Arcadia

"Good Books Bring Wisdom to Find the Truth" was the theme of the day, when the Literature department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia hosted the regular luncheon meeting on Feb. 17. The theme was carried out in a profusion of books that had red, green and white covers. Mrs. John T. Simpson, chairman of the Literature department, said: "Green is for wisdom, white is for truth and red for zeal."

Mrs. Bruce McAbery, club president, presided, and welcomed the members and guests. Mrs. Simpson said that the department was happy to be host for the day and she introduced Mrs. C. A. Wirth, district chairman of literature, who stated that she always learned something from the Arcadia Literature department. Speaker of the afternoon was Dr. Lionel Stevenson, professor of English and head of the English department at the University of Southern California. He is a personal friend of Mrs. Margaret Paisley Brown and was secured by her as speaker of the day.

Dr. Stevenson has a brilliant background as an educator, lecturer and author. He has had many books published, the latest of which is "The Ordeal of George Meredith," an able biography of one of the most provocative of English literary figures of the 19th century. The New York Times and Los Angeles Times said that Dr. Stevenson gave the world its most scholarly and understanding account of Meredith.

The speaker took his audience with him on the intensive work and planning that goes into the groundwork of writing a biography. He told

that when he wrote "The Wild Irish Girl," he went to Ireland to find the theme of the era in which she lived.

Dr. Stevenson stated it was necessary to do a lot of detective work in finding material for biographies, and he also stated that he was "superstitious." Whenever he has needed information about a character of the past he invariably met someone who could tell him something necessary for him to know.

At the opening of the meeting Mrs. Harlan Lindell gave the devotional and Mrs. Roy Regnier led in community singing with Miss Mary Valentine at the piano.

Mrs. Simpson also introduced Miss Grace Clark, Arcadia City librarian; Mrs. Harold Everett, in charge of Nash's Book department; and Jack Robinson of Robinson's Book store. Literature department officers were introduced: Mrs. John P. Ross who took over as program chairman when Mrs. Charles Gantner became ill; Mrs. Homer Brown, secretary; Mrs. Rose Lane, treasurer; Mrs. J. K. Weems, philanthropy; Mrs. E. J. Frenress, hospitality; Mrs. Thurman Keim, hospitality, and Mrs. Archie Wilson, publicity.

The following nominating committee was named: Mrs. E. J. Fuerst, Mrs. Alan Langlois, Mrs. Archie Wilson, Mrs. J. W. Watson and Mrs. Albert Clement. Alternates: Mrs. Milton Uhl, Mrs. Keim, Mrs. Thomas Kemp, Mrs. N. E. Stadig and Mrs. George Wheeler.

Delegates named to attend the county convention on April 5 in Glendale were Mmes. Earl Dettra, John T. Simpson, George Mead, Edward Heiss, Andrew Hacquebord and John Scull. Alternates, Mmes. William Adams, M. R. Clark, John Balthes, Rose Lane and Andrew Heilman.

Mrs. Verne Winchell proposed that the club, as a body, write to the State senate in support of Bill 1617; this was approved. Mrs. Stadig advised that the club had gone over the top in contributions for Independence hall.

FINE MUSICAL PROGRAM GIVEN BY MUSIC DEPARTMENT MEMBERS

Miss Mary R. Valentine, Mrs. John E. Scull and Mrs. Ahlert P. Stuhrman were hostesses for members and guests of the Music department of the Arcadia Woman's club at the regular monthly meeting on Jan. 26.

Chorus rehearsal preceded the delicious dessert course served during the luncheon period; then an excellent program, arranged by Chairman Stuhrman, was presented by the following very talented members of the group: Chopin's Etude E. Opus 10 and Revolutionary Etude were the piano selections given by Mrs. Della K. Cox; Mrs. Clarke Bridgman, flutist, presented Massenet's Meditation from Thais and the Minute Waltz by Chopin; Mrs. Leonard S. Cartwright, pianist, presented Valse, Opus 42 and Nocturne, Opus 15 from compositions by Chopin; and Mrs. Stuhrman concluded this fine musical program with two additional Chopin numbers, Fantasia Impromptu and Valse in E Flat. After reports by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Albert H. Green,

discussion was held regarding additional ways and means projects to further the piano purchase for the clubhouse; announcement was made of the generous invitation made by Mrs. M. W. Cocke to entertain this department for the February monthly meeting, and to share with them selections from her operatic library; plans were made for the Music department's program to be given on Wednesday, the next regular Woman's club meeting, and chorus rehearsal was requested by Mrs. Thatcher Jordan, director, for 10 a.m. tomorrow at the clubhouse.

Those enjoying the fellowship of this meeting at Chairman Stuhrman's home were Mmes. E. J. Frenress, Homer C. Sandberg, M. M. Trew, H. Verne Woodruff, Harvey H. Thombs, Della K. Cox, Charles W. Stewart, Albert H. Green, J. E. Hutton, Clarke Bridgman, Lincoln Schick, Leonard S. Cartwright, A. M. La Ray, James Kercheval, A. P. Slover, J. K. Weems, Thatcher Jordan, Robert E. Paradise, Thomas B. Kemp and the hostesses.

MUSICALE TEA PLANNED BY CLUB SECTION

Mrs. Malcolm Cocke entertained members of the Music department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia last week at her home, 200 LeRoy avenue, with Mrs. A. P. Stuhrman presiding at a short business meeting.

Plans were discussed for a musical fashion show and tea to be given April 10 at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Paradise, 1144 Rancho road.

Each member was presented with libretto in English which enabled her to follow with understanding the opera Pagliaci, which was played on the Magnavox.

Following this the hostess and her co-hostesses, Mrs. D. Toombs and Mrs. L. G. Schick served sandwiches, dessert and coffee. Guests welcomed were Mrs. D. Nelson and Mrs. Alice Moss.

Others present were Mmes. Stuhrman, J. K. Weems, Clark Bridgeman, Robert Paradise, E. J. Frentress, Maurice Trew, John Scull, Smith, John T. Simpson, Alfred LaRay and James Kercheval.

MUSICAL FASHION-TEA TO BE HELD AT PARADISE HOME

An unusual and interesting afternoon has been planned by the Music department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia—a musical fashion tea—to be held Saturday from 12:30 to 3 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert E. Paradise, 1144 Rancho road, Santa Anita Oaks. Mrs. A. P. Stuhrman, chairman of the department, is also chairman of the fashion tea.

The fashion show and musical will be alternated and will start at 12:30 with Mrs. Laurence Schick singing three solos, "In the Luxembourg Garden," "Alice Blue Gown" and "If I Loved You" from South Pacific. She will be accompanied by Mrs. Stuhrman at the piano.

Lois Lowe, violinist, and Martha Jane Lowe, flutist, members of the San Gabriel Valley Junior Symphony orchestra, will entertain, accompanied by their mother at the piano. Lois will play "Liebesfroid" by Kreisler, Martha Jane will play "Scherzino" by Anderson, and as a duet, they will play a gavotte by Corelli.

Mrs. Leonard S. Cartwright and Mrs. Della K. Cox will play two piano numbers. Mrs. Roy Regnier, also accompanied by Mrs. Stuhrman, will sing "Why Do I Love You," "Lovely To Look at" and "All the Things You Are."

The parade of fashion will be presented by Mrs. Pauline Fleischer of the Town and Country of West Arcadia with Mrs. Thatcher Jordan narrating. Models will be members of the Music department—Mrs. Verne Woodruff, Mrs. John Scull, Mrs. Alfred LaRay, Mrs. William Kercheval, Mrs. Thomas Kemp, Mrs. Malcolm Cocke and Mrs. B. E. Turner.

Tea will be served after the show

and presiding at the beautifully appointed tea tables will be Mrs. Bruce McAbery, club president, and Mrs. Stuhrman.

Tickets are \$1 each and may be obtained from Mrs. J. K. Weems, in charge of tickets. Proceeds from the fashion tea will be used to buy a piano for the foyer of the clubhouse. Mrs. Stuhrman is assisted by the following committee, Mrs. Thomas Kemp, Mrs. Thatcher Jordan and Mrs. J. K. Weems.



GARDEN CONFERENCE—Mrs. George Irving, district garden chairman, is holding the guest book which recorded 225 guests at the district garden conference hosted last Wednesday by the garden department of the Arcadia Woman's club. Shown here, left to right, Mrs. D. R. Thompson, Mrs. L. A. Rice, Mrs. A. R. Jewell, Mrs. Irving and Mrs. Earl Dettra.

—Tribune photo

WOMAN'S CLUB SECTION HOSTS DISTRICT GARDEN CONFERENCE

The garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia had the honor of hosting the district garden conference last Wednesday in the Arcadia clubhouse with 225 attending.

Mrs. George Irving, district chairman of CFWC, presided at the meeting. Mrs. L. A. Rice is chairman of the local garden department. Others seated at the head table were Mrs. Earl Dettra, new first vice-president of the Arcadia Woman's club, who represented the president of the club, Mrs. Bruce McAbery; Mrs. Hi M. Johnson, district secretary; Mrs. Franklin Buerck, district treasurer; Mrs. C. M. Bald-

Nelson. Mrs. D. R. Thompson gave instruction in camellia and gardenia corsage making.

Following luncheon, a tour was taken of the arboretum, followed by a visit to the beautiful garden of Mrs. Russell Lucas in Santa Anita Rancho. Mrs. Lucas was assisted in receiving her guests by her daughter, Mrs. Williams Gibbs.

win, district registrar; Mrs. A. R. Jewell, member of district board, and Mrs. D. R. Thompson.

Mrs. Charles Scholdes, co-chairman of garden department, was in charge of the 9 a. m. coffee hour. Mrs. M. W. Cocke, garden events chairman, was in charge of the luncheon; Mrs. Charles L. Johnson, registrar chairman, was assisted by Mrs. William Messick, treasurer, and Mrs. M. L. Clarke, secretary. Mrs. N. E. Stadig, Mrs. Rose Lane and Mrs. Karl Stephens were in charge of decorations, which were carried out with camellias, greenery and gold scrolls with metallic bands.

The program started at 10 a. m., and featured the history and plantings of the Los Angeles State and County arboretum, which were presented by H. H. Benson and Dewey



LENNOX TIERNEY
... speaker

Garden Group To Give Club Program

Garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will present the program Wednesday at the regular 11:30 a.m. luncheon meeting of the club. The guest speaker will be Lennox Tierney, chairman of the Department of Music and Arts, John Muir college.

Mr. Tierney spent two years in the Orient during which he made a detailed study of the people and their customs. He will give a program of oriental landscaping, miniature tree planting, and show a motion picture he made in Japan.

Mr. Tierney did undergraduate work at UCLA and is a lecturer for a UCLA extension class. He was formerly in General Headquarters Far East Command, and is now a member of the Japan-American society. During his tour of duty in Japan he traveled throughout the empire under government auspices, and throughout East Asia and India.

Reservations are asked to be made by Monday night. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee or Mrs. George Langsner.

Garden Section To Host Day At Woman's Club

Lennox Tierney, chairman of the Department of Music and Arts, John Muir college, will be guest speaker Wednesday at the regular luncheon meeting of the Woman's club of Arcadia. He will be introduced by the Garden department of the club, which is hosting the day.

Mr. Tierney was formerly in General Headquarters of the Far East Command and during his tour of duty in Japan he traveled throughout the empire under government auspices.

For his program Wednesday at the club, Mr. Tierney will talk on Oriental landscaping and miniature tree planting, and he also will show a motion picture he made while in Japan.

Reservations close tonight for the 11:30 a.m. luncheon.

Club Program Sponsored by Garden Section

Garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia hosted the regular luncheon meeting last Wednesday and presented the afternoon speaker, Mrs. Bruce McAbery, club president, presided, and introduced Mrs. L. A. Rice, garden department chairman.

The clubhouse was decorated with a profusion of beautiful azaleas and the stage held 12 beautiful arrangements ranging from the exotic bird of paradise to quaint Victorian bouquets. These were made by members of the flower arrangement class of the department.

Mrs. J. K. Weems was introduced as the winner of the contest for a theme for the April 30 flower show. The prize-winning theme was "Flowerama."

Mrs. Rice introduced her board and committee chairman: Mmes. J. Charles Sholdes, M. R. Clark, William Adams, William Messick, Karl Stephens, N. E. Stadig, M. W. Cocke, Sarl Dettra, Elmer Godfrey, Mabel Well, Charles Johnson, Herman Kambietz, E. J. Verhoef. Guests of the Garden department were Mrs. H. W. Bradway and Mrs. H. Wood of the Inter-County Garden club.

During the business session, presided over by the president, a revision of the by-laws was discussed and voted upon.

The afternoon program was given by Lennox Tierney, who showed colored slides of gardens in Japan.

Mrs. Cocke, chairman of the annual garden show, announced that her committees have been appointed for the April 30 show.



CANDIDATES FOR CITY COUNCIL TO BE GUESTS OF ARCADIA WOMAN'S CLUB ON 'CIVIC DAY'

It has become a tradition with the Woman's Club of Arcadia to hold an annual "Civic Day" at the clubhouse when all city officials are invited to be special guests. In addition, this year, the club has invited all candidates for Arcadia City council to be present, and a short time will be allowed each candidate to present his views. Acceptances have been received from Mayor John Schmock, Councilman

Raymond Kennett, who is also a candidate for re-election; Councilman Robert Dow, Miss Grace Clark, chief librarian, Arcadia City library; Fire Chief James Nellis, City Clerk Walter Cornish, City Treasurer Mrs. Emma Hainer; City Manager William Richards, Dr. Norvell Dice, superintendent of Arcadia Unified School district.

Others invited were Councilmen Dwight Hulse and Mark Nottingham, City Attorney James Nicklin, City Comptroller Robert Anderson, Police Chief Neil Anderson, and City Engineer Ray Rogers.

Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the club, will preside. Mrs. Richard Hill is civic chairman of the club.

Luncheon will be served at 11:30 a. m., and guest speaker during the luncheon will be Dr. Myron S. Olson, associate professor of education at the University of Southern California. He will speak on, "Our Responsibilities for a Better World."

Dr. Olson has been past president of a Kiwanis club, voted an honorary member of a Rotary club, and received the first community-wide award from a Lion's club for his work with underprivileged youth. He has also spoken to Masonic groups, Optimists, women's clubs, and others. His talks are entertaining as well as challenging.

Dr. Olson has appeared before teachers' institutes, conventions, meetings, and workshops as a speaker and consultant in secondary school curriculum and problems. He spent 16 years as teacher and administrator of elementary, junior high and senior high schools, and a junior college in the midwest. He also served as principal of the University of Iowa Experimental Secondary school.

Reservations for luncheon must be in by tonight. Call Mrs. Richard Barro, chairman; Mrs. James Skinner, Mrs. Lester Lee, or Mrs. George Langsner.

Woman's Club of Arcadia Hosts District Council

The Woman's Club of Arcadia was hostess to CFWC District council held last Wednesday in the social hall of the Arcadia Presbyterian church. Mrs. George Cornelius, district president, presided. Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the Arcadia club, and Councilman Raymond M. Kennett, welcomed the guests. Dr. J. Davis Barnard, pastor of the church gave the invocation.

The meeting opened at 10 a. m. and the theme "International Relations" was carried out by the speakers of the day, a panel discussion and entertainment.

More than 350 heard Madeline Blackmore, professor of history and world affairs at USC talk on, "World Neighbors We Should Know," during the pre-luncheon session.

Also in the morning, Mrs. David Behrman, district international relations chairman, made the introductions and gave the concluding remarks on a panel discussion participated in by Mes. Ralph Hill, Thomas Hubbell, R. J. Morrison and Charles MacCoy. The subject covered was, "The United Nations organizes for peace or regional security arrangements in relation to the United States."

Mrs. Alfred M. LaRay directed the club chorus in several numbers as part of the morning's agenda.

Mrs. McAbery presided over a brief club business meeting during the noon recess, calling upon the election committee chairman, Mrs. E. J. Fuerst, to present names of candidates for the 1955 official staff. Election is set for April 21 and following are the nominees to date: President, Mrs. Earl Dettra; first vice-president, Mrs. Edward Heiss; second vice-president, Mrs. Andrew C. Heilman; recording secretary, Mrs. A. L. Weickert; corresponding secretary, Mrs. John C. Merrill; federation secretary, Mrs. Andrew Hacquebord; program chairman, Mrs. N. E. Stadig; treasurer, Mrs. John B. Scull; ways and means, Mrs. Gerald J. Mills, and junior trustee, Mrs. Verne Winchell Jr., or Mrs. L. A. Rice. Additional nominating petitions may be added to the list up to April 1.

Talk on Constitution

After luncheon, William T. Grey, an attorney, spoke on, "The Constitution and Treaty Making power." The question and answer period

aroused much interest among the club women with the well informed speaker participating.

Music in the afternoon was provided by 50 members of the San Gabriel Valley Junior Symphony orchestra, playing national and international numbers.

Arcadia Woman's Club To Host District Meeting

Women's Club of Arcadia will be hostess Wednesday to Los Angeles District Council CFWC, and the meeting will be held at 10 a. m. in the social hall of the Arcadia Presbyterian church.

"International Relations," will be the theme of the meeting and the International Relations department of the Arcadia Woman's club is in charge of the day. Mrs. George Cornelius, district president, will preside. Others seated at the speakers' table will be Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president of the Arcadia club; Mrs. L. Schottler, chairman of the International Relations department, and Mrs. L. A. Ricem, chairman of the garden department.

More than 400 are expected to attend and luncheon will be served at the church with the overflow to be taken care of at the clubhouse. The garden department will do the decorations for the meeting.

There will be an art exhibit of the work of high school students of the district in a contest sponsored by the Hallmark company.

Speaker of the morning will be Madeline Blackmore, professor of history and world affairs at USC. Her topic will be "World Neighbors We Should Know."

During the luncheon the chorus of the Arcadia Woman's club, under

the direction of Mrs. Thatcher Jordan, will sing.

Afternoon speaker will be A. T. Grey, attorney, his subject will be, "Our Treaty Making Policy."

The San Gabriel Valley Junior Symphony orchestra will also take part in the program.



DR. MYRON S. OLSON
... speaker

WOMAN'S CLUB TO CELEBRATE 'CIVIC DAY'

Arcadia Woman's club will hold the annual Civic Day next Wednesday at the regular luncheon meeting at 11:30 a. m. and members of the city government will be special guests of the day.

Guest speaker will be Dr. Myron S. Olson, associate professor of education at the University of Southern California. His topic will be, "Our Responsibilities for a Better World."

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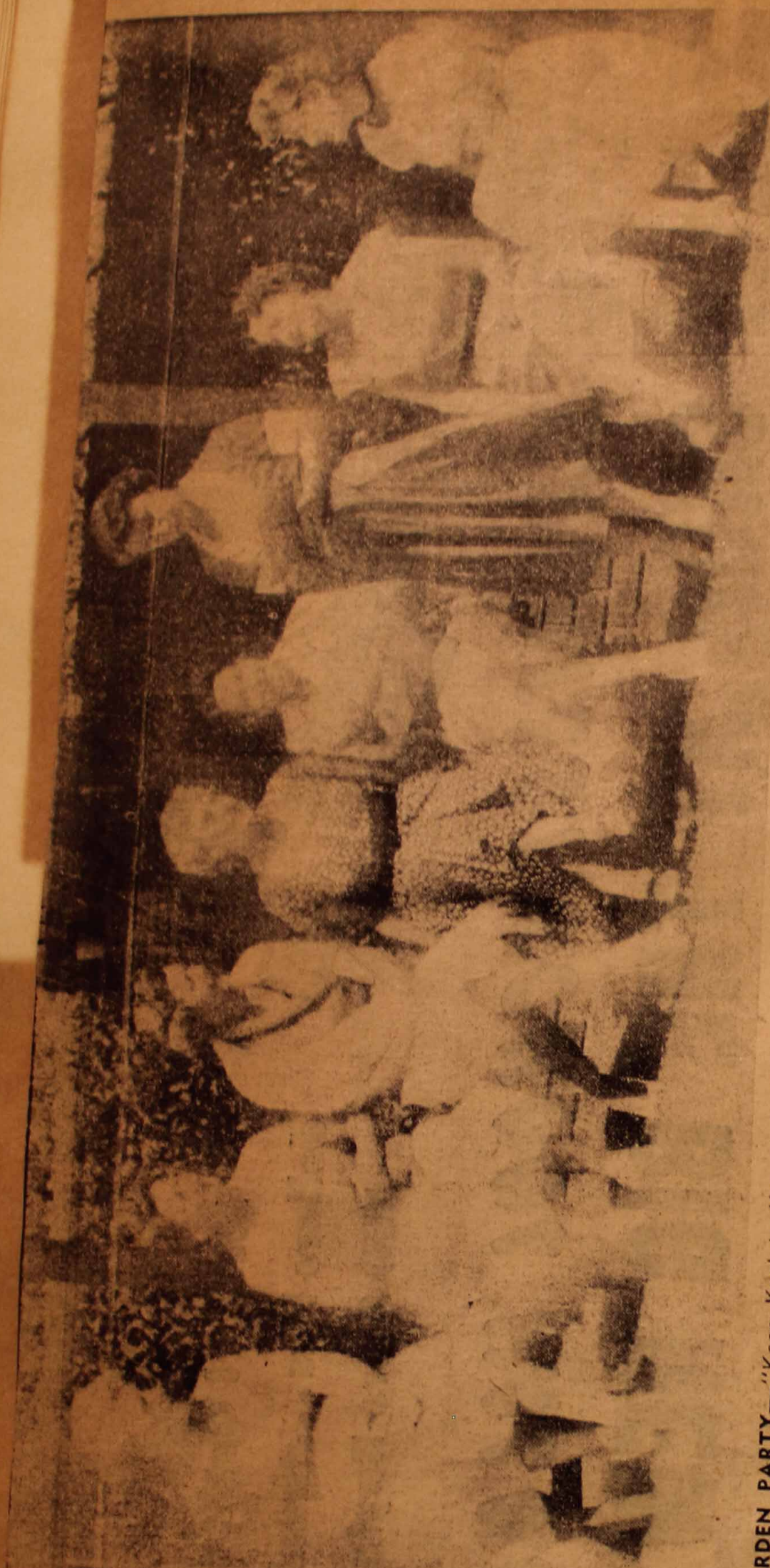
Also invited to be present are all of the candidates for the Arcadia City council. Each candidate will be given a short time to speak.

Ice Cream Social Planned by Garden Section

"Keep Kool in Kasuals" is the theme adopted by the garden department of the Arcadia Woman's club for an ice cream social to be held Sept. 10.

The party will be held around the pool in the garden of Mrs. B. E. Turner, 270 Arbolada drive, and will start at 1 o'clock p. m. Refreshments will be followed by cards.

Mrs. L. A. Rice, chairman, and Mrs. M. W. Cocke, chairman of special events of the garden department have arranged many attractive table and door prizes. For reservations call Mrs. Mabel D. Wells, SYcamore 3-2497, or Mrs. Charles Johnson, DOuglas 7-6918.



GARDEN PARTY—"Keep Kool in Kasuals" is the theme adopted by the garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia for an ice cream social on Thursday, Sept. 10. The party will be held around the pool in the gardens of Mrs. B. E. Turner, 270 Arbolada drive and will start at 1 o'clock. Refreshments will be followed by cards. Many

attractive door prizes will be given. Shown here in the garden of the Cocke home is the committee in charge of the social, Mrs. L. Schottler, left; Mrs. E. J. Verhoef, Mrs. George Swanson, Mrs. L. A. Rice, chairman of department; Mrs. Malcolm Cocke, chairman of social; Mrs. H. J. Bair and Mrs. J. A. Yeager.

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Local Clubwomen To Participate In Flower Show

A preview tea and fashion show will officially launch the Pasadena spring flower and garden show from 3 to 7 p.m. Friday in the Fannie E. Morrison Horticultural center, Brookside park, where the floral exposition will open to the public at 10 a.m. the next day.

Members of the Arcadia Woman's club who will assist in the flower arrangement section of the show will be Mrs. L. A. Rice, Mrs. Malcolm Cocke, Mrs. R. H. Lucas, Mrs. William Gibbs, Mrs. E. J. Verhoef, Mrs. Karl Stephens, Mrs. N. E. Stadig and Mrs. Earl Dettra.

Cotton fashions for spring will be featured by F. C. Nash and company of Pasadena. Correlated with these and calling attention to the flower show will be live costume flowers used on belts, purses, as corsages, head dresses and in numerous other ways.

Invitations, designed by Mrs. Lillian Higman, prominent interior decorator of the Pasadena area, have been mailed to members of leading garden clubs and civic organizations throughout Southern California.

Honorary chairman for the preview is Miss Abigail Von Schlegell, also chairman of patronesses. Mrs. Jerome Andrews is in charge of the fashion show; Mrs. Robert Paradise, Arcadia, invitations; Mrs. Carl Doehring, costume flowers, and Mrs. Alex Robertson, catering.

Oldest and most colorful event of its kind in Southern California, the Pasadena Spring Flower and Garden show will take place from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. daily through Sunday, April 11, under the direction of G. Wyman Hope.



WRITTEN IN THE SKY—Outstanding plans are being made for the annual flower show of the Arcadia Woman's club, which is put on each year by the club's Garden department. The show will be held April 30 in the clubhouse. Shown here, left, Mrs. Malcolm Cocke, chairman of the show; Mrs. L. A. Rice, chairman of department, and Mrs. E. J. Verhoef, co-chairman of the show.

'Flowerama' To Be Presented by Woman's Club Garden Section

Annual flower show of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will be held April 30 in the clubhouse under the sponsorship of the Garden department of the Woman's club. The show will carry the theme name of Flowerama, which was chosen as a result of a contest conducted by the Garden department to find a name for the annual show. Mrs. J. K. Weems won the contest with Flowerama.

Mrs. Malcolm Cocke, chairman of the show, announces that a beautiful 20-page program will be distributed. She urges all persons planning to enter the show to familiarize themselves with the rules and to prepare the planters and plants.

A full program will be published in the Arcadia Tribune. Copies of the program may be obtained by calling Mrs. Cocke, DOuglas 7-0120; Mrs. Karl Stephens, DOuglas 7-5890; Mrs. L. A. Rice, DOuglas 7-7955 or Mrs. Charles Johnson, DOuglas 7-6918.

Many of the leading nurseries and florists have been invited to make displays and participate in the show. Mrs. Rice, Garden department chairman, and Mrs. Cocke, extend an invitation to all interested persons and neighboring clubs to participate in the Flowerama.

The following committee is helping the chairman to make this an outstanding show in the area: Mmes. E. J. Verhoef, co-chairman in charge of staging; L. K. Campbell, schedules; C. F. Noack, flower arrangement room; Herman Kambietz, cut flowers; Earl Dettra, potted plants; N. E. Stadig, properties; Charles Johnson, entries; Karl Stephens, classification; H. J. Bair, chairman of judges; Robert Lane, monitor chairman; L. V. Shepherd, clean-up chairman; and William Adams, correspondence.



... flowerama

Public Invited To Take Part In Flower Show

Flowerama, annual flower show of the Garden department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia will be held Friday, April 30 from 2 to 9 p.m. in the clubhouse, 324 South First avenue. A cordial invitation has been extended to the public to participate in this show which is always one of the highlights of the year to flower lovers. Mrs. L. A. Rice is Garden department chairman; Mrs. M. W. Cooke is flower show co-ordinator, and Mrs. E. J. Verhoef is co-chairman in charge of staging.

They are assisted by the following committee: Mmes. N. E. Stadig, L. K. Campbell, C. E. Noack, H. A. Kambietz, E. H. Dettra, C. L. Johnson, K. C. Stephens, H. J. Bair, J. C. Sholdes, Rose Lane and L. V. Shepherd.

Arrangements have been made for a luncheon to follow the judging when the judges will be guests of honor. It will be held at Smith's El Rancho restaurant, 721 Huntington drive. For reservations call Mrs. H. J. Blair, CUster 5-6225.

Evening Department of Woman's Club Lauded By Crusade Chairman

Mrs. Verne Winchell, chairman of the Evening department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, presided at the April 12 business meeting held in the clubhouse. She welcomed guests, Mrs. John Sleeter, a prospective member, and Mrs. Seymour Nutt, Arcadia Cancer Crusade chairman, who talked to the group.

Mrs. Nutt praised the interest of the department in the educational phase of the crusade, together with their public-spirited cooperation in helping to raise funds for the society's nationwide programs of research, education and service.

"The American Cancer society is presented with a significant contribution by this organization which has realized the importance not only of soliciting funds for the battle against cancer, but also the equal importance of arming each member with the facts about cancer which can save today one of every two lives," she declared.

"There is no substitute for the personal contact in getting information to the public," Mrs. Nutt continued, "and the help of such informed groups as the Evening department is invaluable to our crusade goal of reaching every citizen with the facts about cancer, and persuading him to act promptly to save his life or that of a loved one."

The American Cancer society is indebted to the following members of the Evening department for their outstanding help in the Arcadia Crusade: Mrs. William Messick, crusade captain; Mrs. R. W. Titgemeyer, program chairman and Mrs. Verne Winchell, department chairman.

Also crusade team members Mmes. Richard Barro, Jack Bosworth, W. S. Bradner, Leonard Cartwright, Dean Christie, Lucian Harris, Thomas Kemp, Alfred La Ray, Alan Langlois, Lester Lee, Doyle Lindley, John Marshall, C. R. Niederhaus, Archy Slover, Galen Stouder and K. H. Turner.

A program of cancer education was presented when Robert Wood, M.D., of the Pasadena Tumor institute, spoke to the group and two American Cancer society educa-

tional films, "Man Alive" and "Breast Self-Examination" were shown.

Mrs. Messick discussed further plans for the collection in the area north of Camino to Duarte and from Santa Anita avenue to Mayflower. Coffee hours are being held this month and members will go into the areas in groups to collect.

The following nominating committee was elected: Mrs. R. W. Titgemeyer, chairman; Mrs. Richard Barro and Mrs. Ernest Hutchins.

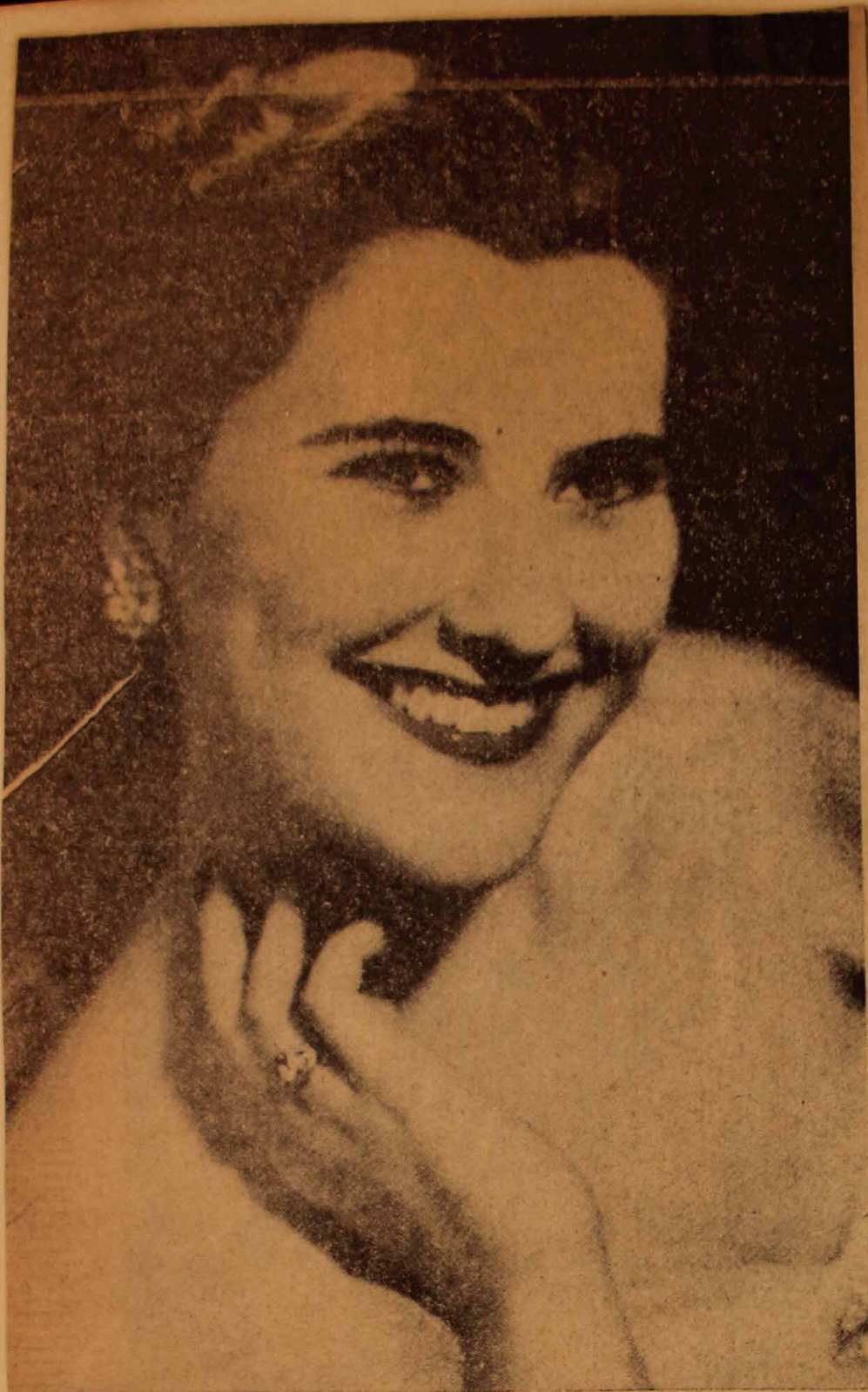
Mrs. Joseph Bosworth and Mrs. Verne Woodruff were hostesses for the social hour and refreshments were served at a table decorated with the Easter eggs and flowers.

Members present were: Mmes. Glenn Stouder, William Messick, Richard Barro, Lester Lee, Anthony Anger, Clifton Neiderhaus, Jack Wagner, Shirley Johnson, Mary Lou Wagner, Kelvin Turner, Verne Winchell, Archy Slover, Joseph Bosworth, Sidney Koppel, William Bradner, Shirley White, William Dillon, Ernest Hutchins, Dorothy Lindley, Richard Marsh, Nelda Christie, Alan Langlois, Thomas Kemp, Carl Hoglund and Verne Woodruff.

Kaffee Klatsch Hosted by Club Leader

Mrs. Bruce McAbery was a gracious hostess to members of the drama department of the Woman's Club of Arcadia, when they met at her home, 1111 South Eighth avenue for a kaffee klatsch and to formulate a program to be sponsored by the department for the regular club meeting in May.

Mrs. Bert Morris, chairman, presided. Mrs. Byran K. Daniels, district drama chairman, was an interesting speaker. In her talk, which she referred to as "pills and vitamins of drama," she pointed out the extreme importance of speech and drama to all club women. Among the seven plays now running on Broadway which she reviewed were "Solid Gold Cadillac," and "Tea and Sympathy."



VERA JEAN VARY
... lovely singer

Arcadia Woman's Club To Elect New Officers

Officers will be elected Wednesday at the regular luncheon meeting of the Arcadia Woman's club. Mrs. Bruce McAbery, president, will preside, and luncheon will be served as usual at 11:30 a.m.

The afternoon program will be presented through the courtesy of the History and Landmarks department of the club and will feature Vera Jean Vary, captivating, golden voiced soprano.

Miss Vary was first place winner of the 1946 Atwater Kent auditions and winner of the UCLA Young Artists series in 1951. She has appeared with the ABC, KFI and San Diego Symphony orchestras and on a two-hour coast-to-coast program, "Stars on Parade," co-starring with Lauritz Melchior, Red Skelton, Jack Benny and other celebrities.

During World War II she sang more than 600 performances for the US Treasury department. When she appeared in a joint recital with John Charles Thomas, he said of Miss Vary, "I am very happy to have been on the program with such a beautiful and talented young lady. She has one of the finest voices I have heard. Women's clubs all over the country have delighted in her radiant personality, coupled with masterful musicianship.

Reservations for luncheon are requested by tonight.

NEW OFFICERS ELECTED BY WOMAN'S CLUB

Members of the Arcadia Woman's club elected officers for the 1954-55 year yesterday at the regular luncheon meeting presided over by Mrs. Bruce McAbery. Installation ceremonies will be held on June 2.

Those elected were Mmes. Earl Dettra, president; Mrs. Daniel Slattery, first vice-president; Mrs. Andrew Heilman, second vice-president; Mrs. Albert Weickert, recording secretary; Mrs. John C. Merrill, corresponding secretary; Mrs. John Scull, treasurer; Mrs. William Adams, senior trustee; Mrs. Verne H. Winchell Jr., junior trustee; Mrs. Charles Johnson, ways and means chairman; Mrs. Andrew F. Hacquebord, federation secretary.

Mrs. Hugh Sanborn was given a complimentary life membership.

The public is invited to the annual rummage sale to be held Saturday at the clubhouse, 712 North First avenue.

